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CENTRALIZED INFORMATION MANAGEMENT
Title of Invention

APPLICATION ELEMENTS ENCLOSED:

1. X Specification (total pages 55) including:
    a. 7 pages of claims (44 claims)
    b. 1 page(s) Abstract
2. X 3 sheets of X informal ___ formal drawings (Figs. 1-6)
3. ___ Oath or declaration of Applicant(s) (__ total pages)
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    (*for continuation/divisional with Item 14 completed*)
4. ___ Deletion of Inventor(s)
    Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)
5. ___ Incorporation By Reference
    The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied in item 3b is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
6. ___ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

APPLICATION PARTS ENCLOSED:

7. ___ An assignment of the invention to ______________________ (cover sheet & document(s))
8. ___ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (*when there is an assignee*)
9. ___ Power of Attorney
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10.___ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449

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11.__ A Preliminary Amendment

12._X_ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)

13.__ A small entity statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27

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